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SUBJECT: WORLD MAJOR TUNGSTEN PRODUCERS - EXPORTERS TO
MEET IN LA PAZ

REF: LA PAZ 7973, DECEMBER 5, 1974

1. PRESS OF MARCH 5 REPORTED REPRESENTATIVES OF TUNGSTEN
PRODUCING AND EXPORTING COUNTRIES WILL MEET IN LA PAZ APRIL 7,
1975 WITH OBJECTIVE OF FORMING ASSOCIATION OF TUNGSTEN PRODUCERS.
THEY ALSO WILL CONSIDER POSSIBILITIES OPEN TO THEM TO LIMIT PAST
WIDE VARIATIONS OF TUNGSTEN PRICE AND TO ANALYZE POSSIBILITIES OF
LIBERALIZING TUNGSTEN SALES FROM STIFF IMPORT TARIFFS IN
EUROPE AND US DELEGATES FROM POPULAR REPUBLIC OF CHINA, THAILAND,
AUSTRALIA, PORTUGAL, FRANCE, BRAZIL, PERU, KOREA, CANADA, AND
ZAIRE EXPECTED TO ATTEND. USSR AND U.S. REPRESENTATIVES WILL
NOT BE INVITED ALTHOUGH BOTH THESE COUNTRIES PRODUCE BUT DO
NOT EXPORT TUNGSTEN.

2. AS REFTTEL STATED ORIGINALLY, PLAN WAS TO HAVE MEETING OF
MINOR METAL PRODUCERS (BISMUTH, ANTIMONY, AND TUNGSTEN) BUT
SINCE THE THREE METALS HAVE DIFFERENT PRODUCTION, SALES,
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PRICE, AND SMELTING PROBLEMS, IT WAS DECIDED TO HOLD SEPARATE

MEETING FOR TUNGSTEN.
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